

Who Controls in the Senate?

The Republican majority in the U. S. Senate is so small that a few men can control the vote.

Where are the Progressives? Has the spirit of Roosevelt passed from earth? Are there not men of backbone in this body in Republican ranks to compel the stand-patters to line up with right measures?

Criticising Wilson will not win a campaign nor will fake reductions in Appropriation Bills.

Go A-Fishing

Take a day off now and then during the summer. Find out what summer is for. Get out under the sky when it is blue, clear to the upmost reach of the eye, when the clouds are as silver wool and the hum of honey bee is heard. Get away with tackle, lunch basket and perhaps a book, to the lake or river, to the sea.

Learn some of the beautiful secrets of God's out-of-doors.

Of course summer produces corn, melons also, and many other good things. It grows hollyhocks too with their tall and stately beauty, and strews fields and gardens with flowers. God's thought, wrought into beauty—Oh! this is a good old earth, God said so. He knows. You are to find it out and rejoice in His wise care.

Summer is for farms, gardens, crops—yes! Also it is for fishing and resting under the great, green trees on grassy banks, beside the still waters. Summer is good.

Army Trucks and Lower Prices

The papers announce the starting of fifty motor trucks on the transcontinental trip from Washington, D. C., to San Francisco. The trip is to take sixty days.

In view of the statement that the U. S. Government has large surplus Army Stores to dispose of, including various food stuffs, how would it do for Uncle Sam to use his great trucks in the notable and needed work of lowering the cost of living? These trucks could take large quantities of these stores under charge of the Quartermaster's Department, to inland towns and sell them in restricted quantities to the profiteer-ridden consumer, guarding by restrictions in quantity or value, against the speculator.

It is reported that bacon sold by the Government at about 20c a pound was afterwards retailed to the consumer at 65c. As the people by taxes paid for these supplies, they should have some benefit from their sale.

Are there difficulties? The Army, the U. S. Government with Army and Navy, should know how to overcome difficulties.

Mountain Preachers' Conference

A Most Important and Useful Assembly

The extensive and intensive program of the Mountain Preachers' Conference is holding the close attention of deeply interested visitors who responded to the hearty call of Berea College.

Doctor Raymond, vice-president of the College, presided throughout.

Among the speakers are R. J. Colbert, Red Cross director; Doctor Queen, of the Congregational Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Ga.; Dr. James Watt Raine, of Berea; Doctor Stockbridge, of State Rural Survey; President McVey, of Kentucky State

University.

The discussions are of high order and will produce results. Doctor Raine has a scholarly and helpful series of lectures on the use of the Bible.

Doctor Queen presents the Mountain Church and the young people while the Inter-Church World movement is presented ably by Doctor Stockbridge.

The discussions, pertinent and pointed, are most useful.

Certainly the conference is well worth while.

PRESIDENT MCVY ON LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Berea will have the opportunity to hear President McVey, of Kentucky State University, speak in the Pavilion on the League of Nations. There will be a large audience to hear this vital question discussed. He speaks under the auspices of the Conference of Mountain Preachers, Friday night, 7:30.

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H. S. NEW CONFESSES MURDER

Prisoner Who Intimates Father Is U. S. Senator From Indiana Confesses He Killed Girl.

Los Angeles, July 7.—Bringing with him the body of Miss Frieda J. Leser of Los Angeles, whom he said he had murdered at a lonely spot in Topanga canyon near Burbank when she rejected his offers of marriage, Harry S. New drove to the police station here and asked that he be arrested. He intimated, but did not directly tell the police that his father is United States Senator New of Indiana.

The Indiana senator has no children, according to advices received by the police.

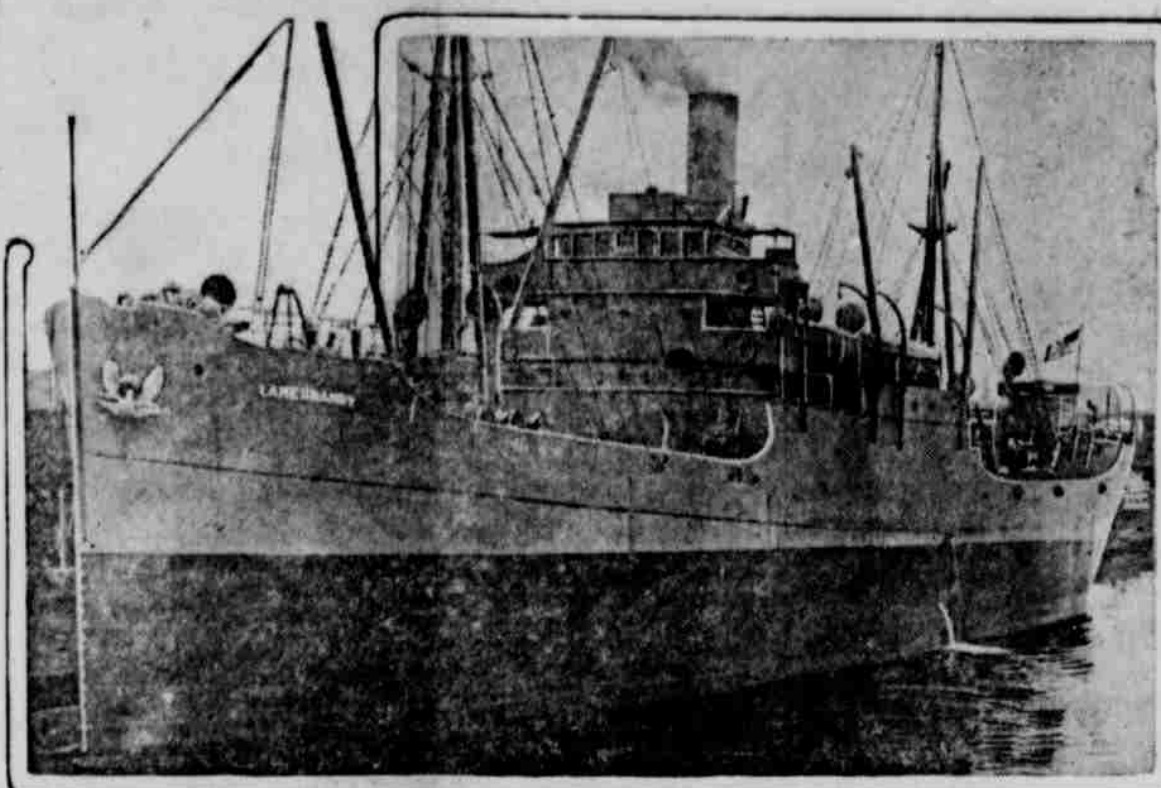
FIVE CHICAGOANS ARE KILLED

Train Hits Automobile on Grade Crossing at Del Roy, Ill.—Four Women Victims.

Del Roy, Ill., July 7.—Five Chicagoans were killed here when an automobile in which they were riding was cut to pieces by an Illinois Central train.

The impact was so great that the bodies were almost unrecognizable when picked up several feet from the scene of the crash. The dead are: William Huebner, Jr., seventeen; Gertrude Huebner, eighteen, sister; Agnes Fitzmaurice, thirty-four; Edna Peet, eighteen; Joseph Burns, twenty-two.

FIRST CHICAGO-TO-LIVERPOOL STEAMSHIP



This is the 4,100-ton steel steamship Lake Granby which has just sailed from Chicago for Liverpool with a cargo of provisions. It is the first Chicago vessel to make the trip.

Kentucky News

Kentucky Medical Association

The annual meeting of the Kentucky Valley Medical Association will take place at Torrent July 11 and 12. The president is Dr. T. C. Holloway of Lexington. Dr. Estill will speak on "Somewhere in France" Friday night.

Dungeons Barred in Kentucky

The dungeon at the Workhouse is passing into antiquity with the rack, the thumbscrew and other relics of penal correction.

In the future it is to be used only as a last resort for a fractious prisoner. Heretofore it has been used to rectify behavior on the slightest offenses.

The Workhouse dungeons are subterranean, built into the stone foundations. They are pitch dark and each contains one opening. That is the door. In the door is cut a round hole, like the wig-wag orifice on a lodge room door. This hole is covered by a plate which can be opened only from the outside. The prisoner is, therefore, sealed in a box of Stygian blackness.

Three Killed in Breathitt—Three Others Wounded

A difficulty arose at the wedding of Don Neece, Breathitt county, on the evening of July 4. When the smoke cleared two were dead and four wounded, one of whom died Saturday morning.

Green Fugate and his brother, Hobson were instantly killed. Courtney Noble was shot through the breast, and after falling he raised on his arm and killed the two Fugate boys. Zack Neece was wounded in the leg. Neece's boys were shot in the arm.

Beeth Noble was shot through the shoulder. Green Noble, a deputy sheriff, was killed by the Fugates two years ago, and it is supposed this old grudge started the trouble. Courtney Noble died Saturday morning.

State Adopts Text Books

The State text book commission Thursday completed the adoption of text books for the common schools. Grinstead's speller and the Heizer physiology were dropped. It was a complete overthrow of the February program. Except as to three of the readers, the readers, the writing books, geographies, composition, two histories and agriculture, the adoption was radically different.

After the meeting had adjourned Governor Black issued the following statement:

"I hope and believe it is a good adoption. I am gratified that the two books at which most criticism was directed have been dropped. Of course, I am not a school man and when it came to the technical discussion of the books I had to defer to the judgment of others, but I was present all the while, acquainted myself with the information available until I was satisfied I could proceed with the work as intelligently as any one not actively engaged and intimately conversant with school matters possibly could."

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U. S. News

Heat Wave

The North felt the recent heat wave severely. Boston ranked with Baltimore at 102 degrees. Philadelphia, Albany, N. Y., Harrodsburg, Pa., one hundred degrees each.

U. S. Troops Leave Germany

Individuals and the smaller units of the old Third Army are losing no time in getting out of Germany. All trains are crowded with casuals, and sleeping car reservations from Coblenz to Paris are booked a week ahead.

\$100,000 For Holstein

King Pontiac, a famous blooded Holstein bull, was sold Saturday, the 5th, by Mrs. Helen Massena, of the Pequest Stock Farm, to E. B. Hager, of Algonquin, Ill., for \$100,000. Insurance of \$70,000 is carried on King Pontiac. He is five years old and weighs 2,100.

President Wilson at Home

On Tuesday President Wilson landed in New York from his long sojourn in Europe. A reception in New York awaited him, after which he went at once to Washington where a volume of accumulated business waits his decision.

New York greeted him with a record-breaking crowd.

At Moylan, Pa., the body of Dr. Anna Shaw, long a leader among women in all good causes, was laid to rest July 5th, amid a distinguished company gathered from all parts of the country to show their respects for the departed leader.

Anna Shaw was a speaker of power, one of the last of the associates of Susan B. Anthony and Frances Willard.

Army to Be Demobilized by August 19 at Present Rate

Army men are now being discharged at an average rate of 15,000 a day, a War Department statement said Saturday. The grand total of discharges to July 5 was given as 2,611,416. If the rate were continued the army would be down to the national defense act, strength of 233,000 men, by August 19.

Enlistments have increased sharply since July 1, the total being more than 70,000. Nine replacement battalions of 1,000 men each have been sent abroad.

Hogs on High Level

After breaking the high price record three times last week, the hog market Monday continued its upward course. New top quotations were established at \$22.40 a hundredweight, as against an average cost of \$21.53 on Thursday, since when there was no trading until Monday.

Sensational advances in the price of corn took place Monday largely owing to the steep ascent in the value of hogs. The sharpest ascent of corn was for the July delivery, which made a nearly vertical jump of 7c to \$1.94 a bushel. It was said manufacturers were able to dispose of corn products on a basis equal to more than \$2.00 a bushel for corn.

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MAJ. GEN. J. W. McANDREW



Maj. Gen. James W. McAndrew, former chief of staff of the A. E. F., has returned to Washington as president of the Army War college. The name of the institution will hereafter be the General Staff college, and it will be kept separate from the war plans division.

REBELS WIN IN PERU

Augusto B. Leguia Takes Office as President.

Former Executive, Senator Pardo, Ministers and High Army Officials in Jail.

Lima, Peru, July 7.—Augusto B. Leguia on Saturday took office as provisional president of Peru and moved into the government palace as a result of the successful overthrow earlier in the day of President Pardo.

Senator Pardo, his ministers and a number of high officials of the army and navy are in prison. Pardo is detained in the penitentiary here.

Virtually no fighting and no casualties marked the overthrow of the Pardo government.

Senator Leguia is supported by virtually all of the army and naval forces in Lima and public opinion here apparently is behind him.

The revolution began at three o'clock this morning with an attack on the palace by two regiments of police. By six o'clock, President Pardo had been deposed and Senator Leguia proclaimed provisional president. The movement was similar to that which resulted in the overthrow of President Guillermo Billinghurst on February 4, 1914.

It was announced that Pardo would be tried on charges of having conspired against the institution of the republic.

It is alleged the government, in refusing to obey the order of the Supreme court in the habeas corpus proceedings in connection with the newspaper El Tiempo, violated the constitution.

Another charge against Pardo is that he attempted to purchase the votes of members of congress in order to carry out his plans to annul the election of Senator Leguia as president and to place the candidate of his own party in power.

World News

Germany Strike Shaken

Well-planned strikes have taken Germany by the throat. The railroad service was tied up for two days, despite the fact that troops endeavored to control the situation unsuccessfully. Trains from Berlin were held up. In some instances trains were run by soldiers.

Campaign to Restore Monarchy Over Germany

London, July 5.—The German conservative party has issued a proclamation signed by Ernst von Heydebrand, the party's leader in the Reichstag, stating that the party "declares war on the government and intends to use its whole strength to re-establish the monarchy," according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

Hindenburg takes Blame for War Field Marshal Says He was Responsible for Proclamations to Army

London, July 5. — Field Marshal von Hindenburg, former chief of the German staff, declares that he is responsible for acts of German main headquarters since August 1916, and also the proclamations of former Emperor William concerning the waging of warfare. He asked President Ebert of Germany to inform the Allies to this effect, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

Food Riots in Italy

The extortionate prices of food in Italy have driven the people to sacking and looting the stores in many of the cities. Florence, famous for its art treasures, is in the hands of a pillaging mob whom the police and military authorities cannot control. Palermo, in southern Italy, Ancano, and Viterbo are each the scene of food demonstration. In some cases all food supplies are seized and distributed by organizations of the people.

The Mayor of Rome is urged to anticipate the demand for lower prices by ordering a reduction of fifty per cent on all food stuffs. Food profiteers are held for trial in some cases.

U. S. Consul and Bolsheviki

The Louisville Post Says:

The New York Times prints a remarkable interview from John A. to this country. Mr. Embury affirms that not one-half or one-tenth Omsk, Russia, and recently returned turned to this country. Mr. Embury affirms that not one-half or one-tenth of the truth has been told about the unspeakable cruelties of the Bolshevik regime in Russia, and he says that he has abundant testimony from American Red Cross officials to support what he has to say. The story is a painful one, but it sounds true. Among other things Mr. Embury charges that the Bolsheviks do habitually mistreat women, and he relates a number of distressing incidents of this policy that he says passed under his observation.

Clemenceau Tours War Region

Premier Clemenceau Sunday began a visit to the devastated regions, entering the zone of protracted warfare at St. Quentin. Everywhere he was given a splendid welcome. The Premier encouraged the people to question him and bring forward any complaints which they had to make, and they were not slow in doing so. In addressing the population of St. Quentin M. Clemenceau declared that, now the peace is concluded, the work of construction and reform would be the government's foremost care.

"The difficulties we meet at every step," he said "cannot be solved by old rules. New methods must be found for new requirements, and we must, above all, learn to use that free individual initiative which the republic must strive to develop. It is not good practice for a democratic country to leave everything to the government."

"You will have to rebuild your homes and perhaps the habit thus acquired by the Frenchmen of depending on himself to make the effort will contribute to still further democratize our country. You must not think that peace is a contract which ends all difficulties."

"No country escapes the law of work."